

Compliance Coordinator
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Bureau of Water Pollution Control
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**NPDES PERMIT #NV0024228 – DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORTS
4TH QUARTER 2017 AND ANNUAL REPORT
WEIR CONSTRUCTION DEWATERING TREATMENT
NEVADA ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE TRUST, HENDERSON, NEVADA**

Dear Compliance Coordinator:

January 17, 2018

As required by the Finding and Order issued on April 12, 2016 by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP), Bureau of Industrial Site Cleanup (BISC), the Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT or the Trust) maintains NPDES Permit #NV0024228 for discharge of perchlorate-treated water near the Las Vegas Wash (LVW) that is extracted during dewatering activities associated with construction of two weirs (the Sunrise Mountain Weir and the Historic Lateral Weir) by the Southern Nevada Water Authority (SNWA) in the Henderson, Nevada area.

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The NDEP, Bureau of Water Pollution Control (BWPC) issued NPDES Permit #NV0024228 on August 11, 2017 and the permit became effective on August 14, 2017. This report covers activities conducted in 4th Quarter 2017 between October 1 and December 31.

During the reporting period, the construction of the pump stations and treatment plant continued toward substantial completion, and pre-commissioning and commissioning activities of the process elements and the pumps continued. In addition, coordination meetings were held with SNWA, NERT, NDEP, Las Vegas Paving, and Tetra Tech, Inc. to ensure a smooth transition once the dewatering water is delivered to the pump stations. The system readiness date of January 1, 2018 was achieved and operation of the plant began on January 2, 2018, after the end of the current reporting period.

Because the treatment system was under construction during all of 4th Quarter 2017, there was no discharge during this reporting period. Ramboll US Corporation (Ramboll), on behalf of the Trust, has submitted DMRs for October, November and December 2017 via the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) NetDMR system per the Subscriber Agreement approved on October 3, 2017. All of the DMRs for this reporting period indicate No Discharge.

Should you have any questions concerning this report, please contact Kimberly Kuwabara at (510) 420-2525 or kkuwabara@ramboll.com.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kimberly Kuwabara".

Kimberly Kuwabara, MS

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**NPDES Permit NV0024228 – 4th Quarter 2017 DMRs
CEM Certification**

Responsible Certified Environmental Manager (CEM) for this project

I hereby certify that I am responsible for the services described in this document and for the preparation of this document. The services described in this document have been provided in a manner consistent with the current standards of the profession and, to the best of my knowledge, comply with all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations and ordinances.

Kimberly Kuwabara
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Senior Manager

1/17/2018
Date

Certified Environmental Manager
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